

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification at the paragraphs appearing at the following noted pages and lines, matter to be deleted is shown in strikethrough and matter to be added is shown in underline.

Page 1, lines 18-23:

On the outer edge 14 of the plate portion 12 is an alignment key slot 21 having an open recess 20 which would act to properly align the water shroud 24 that projects upwardly from the flat upper surface 15 ~~surface 15~~ and inwardly from the edge 14, creating an open recess 25 towards the lower surface 16 of the plate portion 12 on the divider 10.

Page 1, lines 27-30:

The plant basket 31 has a flanged wall or ledge 33 that projects from a ~~having an inner ledge 33 or step encompassing its~~ sidewall 32. The ledge supports ~~would support~~ the divider 10, whereupon the interior area 29 of said basket 31 is separated to form an upper soil section 34 and a lower water containment space or reservoir 35.

Page 2, lines 1-10:

The water reservoir 35 would be refillable via a portal hole 37 which also acts as a water overflow hole and lies just above the ledge 33 and through the side wall 32 of the plant basket 31. The shroud 24 on the divider 10 acts to shield the portal hole 37 from the upper soil section 34, while providing an open recess 25 for water to be administered into the created water reservoir 35. The shroud 24 is aligned appropriately with the portal

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hole 37 by the key slot 21 on the plate portion 12 of the divider 10 being engaged with a small protrusion 22 (~~not shown~~) on the inner ledge 33 of the plant basket 31.

Page 3, lines 7-12:

It should also be noted that the preferred embodiment, if incorporated into a plant basket 31 that is overly large, may require at least one support pillar 32 (~~not shown~~) that would project downwardly from the center area of the solid plate portion 12 lower surface 16 allowing contact with the bottom wall or inner base 39 of said basket 31 to aid the divider 10 in holding the overall weight of the soil section 34.

Page 4, lines 7-11:

In one ~~The~~ embodiment, a ~~molded~~ plastic plant basket divider is molded to provide a flat solid plate that includes one or more holes , ~~wherein are one or more holes~~ ~~are provided~~ that capture a wick material, and wherefrom a snout shaped shroud projects upwardly to aid in the refilling of a ~~created~~ water reservoir 35 formed beneath the plate.